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#### WEATHER.

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Western Oregon and Washington-Rain.

Eastern Oregon and Washingington, Idaho-Snow, probably turning to rain; warmer.

#### ASTORIA, D. G., W. L., S. H.

We are quietly, yet strenuously, insisting that the interested citizen of this great Northwest section shall instruct himself aptly and fully in the significance of the title-line above set forth, in other that he may be conscious of one of the living commercial facts soon to merge itself in the web of the transportation problems now to the fore; and govern himself in accordance with the real meaning and subsequent development of the supreme advantage this city stands for.

The acquisition of the initials following the name of Astoria is perfectly just and applicable, since they stand for the positive and proven facts that this port is at the seaboard end of the downgrade, water-level, SHORT-HAUL for the grain of the Inland Empire, or any other exportable commodity that may be sent this way en route to coast-wise or foreign destination.

For example: The railroad haul to Astoria is less than to any Puget Sound port, via the O. R. & N. or the North Bank road ,taking Seattle as a basis.

From Spokane the distance to Astoria is 85 miles the shorter haul by the his entire handling of the important O. R. & N.; and by the North Bank line, 67 miles the shorter. t

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From Wallula to this port, via the O. R. & N. the haul is 85 miles the shortest; and over the North Bank tracks, it is 93 miles in favor of Astoria.

And from Kennewick here, over the North Bank route, the distance is 67 miles to the good; using always the port of Seattle as a basis in the calculations.

Upon the same plane, it must be remembered that this port is just 135 boundry, is but 15 miles from deep- by the country.

Let these figures sink into your curand compensating use.

There is no use disputing these conclusions; figures do not lie even at the been known in quarters nearest to their rights at any and all hazards. value in demonstrated form and a score of millions of money already invested say they are exactly and happily

What more do you want?

#### 600 VICTIMS PER MONTH.

Old Mother Nature is taking it out on the people who are invading her hidjust at this season of universal happiness and good will. Yet in any guise, at any time, wholesale sacrifice of human life is the saddest of all news. We believe that the fearful happenings lately little swallows of Kemp's Balsam, the heralded to the world are purely the best cough cure. Grip patients should irresistable expressions of nature whose elemental forces have broken through the careful limitations set up by man, and that man himself has had no part in the awful work. The owners and terday.

A part of these Clonks & Suits are on exhibition in our window. None reserved but all go in this slaughter

# Simington Dry Goods Co.'s

See our window displaythen be here promptly and secure one of these bar-

# Colossal Cloak and Suit Sale

COATS

from \$5.75 to \$35.00 all go at \$3.75 to \$19.50 Hundreds and Hundreds of the Very Latest Models in COATS and SUITS at Positively Manufacturers' Cost---in some instances less

We Have All Sizes and Styles Imaginable

Fine Tailored Suits

\$17.50 to \$42,50, in this Sale for

\$10 to \$22-50

## ALL WHO HAVE CLOAKS AND SUITS TO BUY: DO NOT MISS THIS GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY!

The best time you will have to save money on ready-to-wear garments is during the next few days. We are willing to sell everything in our entire stock of Coats & Suits at such a sacrifice that you can't afford to miss this sale of genuine bargains.

operators of these great mines have spent millions of money to acquire the most scientifically safe and feasible means of getting out the buried masses special from Sheridan, Wyo., tells of of coal, that human ingenuity can dethe raiding of the eWisner sheep camp vise and have thrown exery possible safeguard about the men employed in the enterprise. Pitiful as it all is, it is one of the illimitable chances men take in the pursuit of this and other threatening callings; and all that is left for the living to do, is to bear and suffer and get in on the same dubious risk, and keep the records going. This has been the story of mining ever since mankind began to burrow into the depths for the wealth held there.

#### DON'T SUIT ASTORIANS.

The appointment of Frank Davey to the post of receiver at the United States Land Office at Burns, does not suit the "this man's town," as the memory of his deliberate jugglery with the infamous "Port of Columbia' bill in the Legislature last winter, is too vivid to fade in any sort of a hurry; in fact, kind that left no special warranty of his \$1.00. Trial bottle free. From Lewiston, via the O. R. & N. fufilment of any other great charge, sibility to the public, his career in Oresibility to the public; his career in Ore for his peculiar fidelity to the masters of the craft rather than to the people at interest. We would have preferred most any other man in the State.

#### SCRAP-DAY IN CONGRESS.

Thursday last was "scrap-day" in

There is always one day of the ses sion given over to snarls and rows and fisticuffs and the general expression of miles nearer to the great open sea, than the normal man. It seems to be rulable is Seattle, since its inner or Eastern at Washington and is always looked for

We imagine the current session is to be marked with a good deal of asperity rent scheme of facts, such as you use however it may assert itself, as there daily in the expediting of your business, is an abundance of contentious matter and sometime during the year 1908 we to serve as predicate for uproars and will recall them to your consideration as vicious contact. It is "presidential year" having an expressed utility in active and that alone invariably contributes plenty of room and cause for political set-to-, knockingdown and draggingout among the dignified solons we have behest of prejudice: They have long sent up there to maintain our sectional

But, all things considered, this is infinitely better than the line of recourse had over in Germany and France, where such encounters do not end on the floors of the parliaments, but are carried to the outer "fields of honor," where the gun and pistol take conspicuous lace in the final arbitrament, and sometimes with really serious results. Such a course here would furden realms in Western Pennsylvania nish tragedies without end, for the and Virginia these days, as within the American does not take up his weapons past month she has killed 600 miners in for such a purpose unless he uses them that territory by gases and fire-damp. for all they are worth. We are fortun-These records read bitterly to the people ate in that the Congressional scraps all over the country, and particularly are confined to the bloody agencies of tongue and fist.

> Irritation of the throat and hoarseness are relieved immediately by two or three make a note of this.

Lieutenant Cullen, of Fort Stevens, was a business visitor to Astoria yes-

#### RAID SHEEP CAMP.

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 20 .- A Miner near Arvada by 10 masked cattlemen, who, after driving away the herder at the point of a rifle, exhausted their ammunition killing sheep, shooting more than 800 of the animals. The sheriff is in pursuit of the marauders. The sheep are alleged to have crossed the dividing range line.

#### A REAL WONDERLAND.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and public sense of the fitness of things in throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung trouposition of the Speakership was of a bles, by Chas. Rogers druggist. 50c. and

#### ORDER VACATED.

made by the Western Union and Postal trouble, frequent urination, pain an to vacate the order obtained last June by the attorney-general, looking to the above the kidneys, etc. It is now claim court today. The attorney-general inan agreement in restraint of trade.

Bad breath has probably broken off more matches than bad temper, and that's a good many. The best cure for bad breadth is the tonic-laxative, Lane's Family Medicine.

#### RREWING PLANT BURNS.

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 20 .- A Miner special from Billings, Montana, states that the brewing plant of the Silesia Brewing Company, near Billings, burned yesterday, entailing a loss of \$27,000, partly covered by insurance.

A cough cure than can be given to children without chance of harm is Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure. It does not contain poisons or harmful drugs. Druggists sell it.

J. E. Henry, formerly in the employ of C. V. Brown, has tendered his resignation, and will probably engage in other

#### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

#### COFFEE

Good is so good and poor is so poor; have Schilling's Best tomor-

Your grocer returns your money if you den't

### TAKES OUT URIC ACID **POISON**

RELIEVING THE RHEUMATISM -BUY THE IRGREDIENTS FROM ANY GOOD PHARMACY AND MIX THEM YOURSELF.

Cut this out and put in some safe place, for it is valuable and worth more than anything else in the world if you should have an attack of rheumatism or bladder trouble or any derangement of the kidneys whatever.

The prescription is simple, and can be made up by anyone at home. The in gredients can be had at any good prescription pharmacy and all that is necessary is to shake them well in

Here it is: Fluid extract dandellor one-half ounce; compound Kargon, on ounce; compound syrup of sarsaparilla three ounces.

Take a teaspoonful after each mea and at bedtime. A few doses is said t scalding, weakness and backache, pai commencement of suit to dissolve these ed to be the method of curing chronicompanies was granted by the supreme rheumatism, because of its direct an positive action upon the eliminative tended to commence suit on the ground tissues of the kidneys. It cleanses these that the two companies had entered into sponge-like organs and gives them life and power to sift and strain the poisonous waste matter and uric acid from the blood relieving the worst forms of Rheumatism and kidney and bladder troubles. The extract dandelion acts upon the stomach and liver and is used also extensively for relieving constipation and indigestion. Compound sarsaparilla cleans and enriches the blood.

A well-known local druggist is authority that this prescription is safe to use

at any time.

### Holiday Greeting:

The happy CHRISTMAS time is fast approaching and I take great pleasure in inviting you to inspect my new and well selected line of Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Solid Silver and plated ware, Cut Glass, Umbrellas, and Gold and Silver novelties. I have the largest and finest stock this year to select from that I have ever shown in Astoria. PRICES are RIGHT; QUALITY UNSUR PASSED. Come early and make your selections. I will lay them away until you want them.

J. H. SEYMOUR

The Store of Qualty.

466 Commercial St., Astoria, Ore.

#### TIME CARD

## Astoria & Columbia River R. R. Co.

Effective, Monday, September 9, 1907-Pacific Time.

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Sunday Only W	p.m.	p.m. 6.00 7.20 7.35 7.79 8.05 8.13 8.34 8.52 9.40	8.00 9.20 9.86 9.67 10.05 10.15 10.36 11.45 11.45 12.05	0. 39.4 45.8 55.9 59.3 62.8 71.2 78.7 99.8 105.7	Lv. PORTLAND † Lv GOBLE† AFF RAINIKR† MAYGER OUINCY CLATSKANIE JUNCTION† WESTPORT CLIFTON AF ASTORIA† Lv Lv. ASTORIA AF AF. WARRENTON Ly	119.1 79.7 73.8 63.2 69.8 56.8 47.9 40.4 19.8 19.8 19.8	p. m. 12, 15 10, 55 10, 40 10, 15 10, 06 9, 52 9, 31 9, 15 8, 20 8, 15 7, 56	p.m. 10.00 8.40 8.25 7.59 7.50 7.19 7.04 6.10 5.50 6.35	Breept Sunday	H Aleo Aupure 54
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Nos. 26 and 28 run from Astoria to Clatsop Beach via Ft. Stevens. No. 22 runs from Portland to Astoria and Clatsop Beach direct. No. 24 runs from Portland to Astoria only. No. 30 runs from Astoria to Clatsop Beach direct. Portland to Astoria only. No. 30 runs from Astoria to Clatsop Beach direct.

Nos. 21, 25 and 29 run via Ft. Stevens. No. 23 runs from Clatsop Beach to Astoria and Portland direct. Additional train will be run from Astoria to Ft. Stevens and return on Sundays, leaving Astoria 11:30 a. m., arrive Ft. Stevens 12:25 p. m. Returning leaves Ft. Stevens 2:00 p. m., arrives Astoria 2:45 p. m.

Trains marked \* run dailv; † Telegraph stations.

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Through tickets sold to and from all points in the East and Europe. For further particulars apply to,

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